



# Commission on Improving the Status of Children in Indiana

## AGENDA

December 15, 2020

10:00 AM

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### 1. Welcome

- a. Thank outgoing members, recognize volunteers

### 2. Consent Agenda

- a. [Minutes from the October meeting](#)
- b. [Task Force and Committee appointments](#)

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### 3. Strategic Priority: Mental Health and Substance Abuse

- a. David Berman, Mental Health America of Indiana  
Presentation: data showing the current mental health context in Indiana
- b. Stephanie Lyons, IU School of Social Work  
Presentation: Mental Health Workforce findings and recommendation  
**Action:** Approve [recommended changes to LCAC licensing](#)
- c. Jason Murrey, IDOE, and David Berman, MHAI  
Presentation: Suicide prevention gap analysis, findings and recommendations  
**Action:** Approve [recommendation on postsecondary training](#)  
**Action:** Approve [recommendation on YRBSS](#)  
**Action:** Approve [recommendation on coordinated crisis response](#)  
**Action:** Approve [recommendation on three-branch mental health focus](#)
- d. Jennifer Tackitt-Dorfmeier, Choices, and Sirrilla Blackmon, DMHA  
Presentation: Update on Mobile Response Stabilization Services, data report  
**Action:** Approve [recommendations on MRSS for Youth](#)

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### 4. Equity, Inclusion, and Cultural Competence

- a. Calvin Roberson, Indiana Minority Health Coalition, and Marshawn Wolley, Black Onyx Management  
Presentation: Setting up a Chief Equity Officer for Success  
**Action:** Approve [Equity Action Resource Packet](#) for organizations ([Recommendation Form](#))
- b. Latrece Thompson, Indiana Department of Child Services  
Presentation: Curriculum and Training Resources for Equity, Inclusion, and Cultural Competence  
**Action:** Approve [resource guide](#) on curriculum and training ([Recommendation Form](#)) ([Rubric](#))

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### 5. Executive Director and Committee Updates

- a. [Meeting dates for 2021](#)
- b. [Youth Engagement Summit report](#)

6. **Commission Members Legislative Preview**
7. **Discussion: Future Meeting Topics or other Items from Commission Members**
8. **Next Meeting:** February 17

**2021 Meeting Dates**

All meetings are from 10 a.m. to noon; meetings will be held remotely until further notice.

February 17

April 21

June 16

August 18

October 20

December 15

**Vision:** *Every child in Indiana will have a safe and nurturing environment and be afforded opportunities to reach their full potential and live a healthy and productive life.*